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LAST QUOTA IS OFF

21 MEN IN DRAFT CALL LEAVE FOR FUNSTON TODAY

NEW SERVICE IS OPEN

Call for Men in Photo Division of Aerial Service; Also Auto Mechanics and Repairmen in Signal Corps

Twenty-one men in the selective draft will make up the final quota under the first call who will leave this afternoon for the training camp at Camp Funston. They are: Leonard Hawley, Ravenwood. Tom Hickerson, Skidmore. Lee R. Hopkins, Skidmore. Donald Green, Maryville. Madison M. Wilson, Guilford. Floyd M. Huff, Wilcox. Harold Fay Morehouse, Hopkins. Rea Noblet, Graham. Harry Bruttann Glines, Maryville. Fred Neuffer, Skidmore. Carl William Thornton, Graham. Edward Millard Egger, Hopkins. Cecil Dale Gates, Elmo. Presby Elmer Bailey, Elmo. Adolph Cox, Parnell. Roland Monroe Pruitt, Elmo. Charles Smith, Bedison. Elza Vanflosson, Elmo. Fred E. Smith, Skidmore. Leslie Elmer Mack, St. Louis. Charles Harold Ewing, St. Joseph. Madison M. Wilson, former teacher at Whiteford school, near Guilford, was chosen leader of the contingent. Chan Price, in answer to a special call for men for the school for aerial photographers in the aviation section of the signal corps, has enlisted in that branch of the service and will leave Thursday for Rochester, N. Y. Other places are available under this new call. The board this morning received a call for enlistments of auto mechanics and repair men for the aerial division of the aviation section of the signal corps. Men who are qualified will be accepted and will be sent to Kelly Field station at San Antonio, Texas. There will be no public demonstration for the men of the last contingent who will leave this afternoon. Members of the draft board will accompany them to the train.

FAILED TO CUT HEDGE FENCE

Suit for \$500 Filed by County Is First Under New Law Passed by Last Legislature

Failure to cut a hedge fence as provided by law resulted today in the county attorney bringing suit against A. R. Havner, who owns a farm four miles northwest of Hopkins, asking the forfeiture of \$500 to be paid to the county school fund. This is the first case to be filed under the law passed by the last legislature which provides that hedge fences on land adjoining or near a public highway must be cut between the first of May and the first of August to a height of not more than five feet. Failure to do so after notice by any highway engineer or road overseer will result in prosecution by the county prosecutor, the law making it compulsory for such suit to be brought and providing a penalty of from \$50 to \$500 to be paid to the school fund on conviction of the offending hedge owner. The limit of the law is asked by the county prosecutor in the suit against Mr. Havner.

GETS CALL TO CAMP DONIPHAN

Rev. C. E. Miller Asked to Spend Month as Representative of American Christian Missionary Society

A call was received today by Rev. C. Emerson Miller of the Christian church to spend a month at Camp Doniphan, Okla., as a representative of the war emergency committee of the American Christian Missionary Society. The call came through F. W. Burnham of Cincinnati, O., president of the society, who pointed out the need of ministers for work at the various cantonments and training camps.

President Burnham suggested that the local church arrange for his absence during the latter part of March and the first of April, or if not convenient, a later date might be agreed upon. The matter has not as yet been presented to the official board of the church, but it is believed that the opportunity for service will be given and that funds necessary will be raised to enable Rev. Miller to comply with the request of the society.

THOUGHT TRAMP GERMAN SPY

Residents in South Part of City Given Scare When Back Door Visitor Asked for Money

Residents in the south part of the city were given a scare this morning when a big German, who spoke only broken English, appeared at various back doors with the request that he be given clothing and money to enable him to make his way home to Omaha. According to several housewives, of whom he made the request, he said that he had had his leg broken and was without funds, explaining that if he could get to Omaha he would be all right.

The appearance of the man and his inability to speak but brokenly brought visions of German spies and as soon as the man was gone the telephone to the mayor's office began ringing. After hearing the same story from a number of ladies where the German had applied for help, Chief Shonley was sent to look for him, but a search of the neighborhood failed to locate him. The search was not continued.

FUNERAL OF MRS. CAMPBELL

Services Were Held This Afternoon at the Family Home on East Sixth Street—Burial in Miriam

The body of Mrs. G. M. Campbell, who died at 12:20 o'clock Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Derrickson, of Bedford, Ia., following a very short illness of pneumonia, was brought to Maryville this morning.

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Campbell residence, 216 East Sixth street, conducted by Rev. T. H. Wiles. Burial was in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Campbell was 73 years old and is survived by three daughters, Miss Ina, at home, Mrs. Derrickson of Bedford, Ia., and Mrs. A. W. Reese of Oakley, Idaho. She is also survived by two sisters and two brothers. For the last sixteen years Mrs. Campbell's home has been in Maryville, but she had been spending the winter with her daughter in Bedford. Mr. Campbell died about two years ago.

Hair Cut 25c
Hair Cut and Shave 40c
Except Saturdays.
Bath 15c

PROTZMAN'S SHOP
Under Montgomery Shoe Co.

FORCHAMP TOURNEY

SIXTEEN TEAMS EXPECTED FOR ANNUAL BASKET BALL EVENT

AT NORMAL MARCH 22-23

Two High School Teams Will Be Selected From Each Sub-District In Northwest Mo.—Trophy Cup Prize

The annual basket ball tournament between teams in the northwest Missouri high school association will be held at the Normal school on March 22-23. The competition this year is expected to be better than last, a new rule making it possible for a larger number of teams to participate in the event.

There will be two high school teams selected from each sub-district in Northwest Missouri, of which there are six. These teams will be picked by the board of control of the Northwest Missouri High School association because of their showing this season. The picking, of course, will be subject to certain conditions, among which are no team shall have a per cent lower than .500 for games played with teams in this district and the minimum number of games played by any team competing, with other members of the association, shall be six. Other teams in the association having a per cent greater than .500 and filling the other qualifications can attend the meet also, by paying their own expenses.

Walter Hanson, athletic director of the Normal, has charge of the entire tourney, under the direction of the Northwest Missouri High School Athletic association. All teams expecting to compete must have their entry blanks in to Mr. Hanson by March 18. Seven players and a faculty representative will be taken care of by the Maryville Normal school, provided the school is chosen by the board of control as a competitor.

Trophy Cup to Champions.
The games will be started at 9 o'clock Friday morning, March 22, and every team which intends to compete must be on hand half an hour before this. By elimination the teams eligible to compete in the second round, semifinals, and finals will be chosen. The championship will be awarded on the results of the games played. A championship trophy cup will be presented by the Normal school to the team winning the final game.

The games will be played on the Normal court, where no team will be allowed until five minutes before the game. The preliminary games will be fifteen-minute halves, and five-minute intermissions. The officials will be chosen by the board of control, and must not be connected in any way with the schools competing.

Following the tournament, the board of control will name three competent judges to select first and second all Northwest Missouri high school teams. Although unannounced as yet, Benton of St. Joseph, New Hampton and Richmond, the three strongest contenders for the title, will be represented at the Maryville meet.

Sixteen teams are expected to enter.

DEATH OF SCOTT CONAWAY

Well Known Graham Resident Has Lived in Nodaway County Greatest Part of His Life

Scott Conaway, 65 years old, died at 3:15 o'clock Sunday morning at his home in Graham following a long illness of a complication of diseases. Mr. Conaway had spent the greater part of his life in Nodaway county near Graham. He is survived by his wife and two children, John, of Graham, and Mrs. John McCorkle of Broken Bow, Nebr.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the residence, conducted by the Rev. S. D. Harlan, and burial will be in the Graham cemetery. The W. O. W. will be in charge of the services.

MARCH DECLARES WE'LL WIN

New Chief of Staff, Just Back From France, Does Not Underestimate German Strength, He Says

Washington, March 4.—"We're in this thing and we're going to win, and in saying that don't underestimate the strength of the German military machine; it is powerful, very powerful, but notwithstanding that fact, we are going to win." This was the confident declaration made by Maj. Gen. March, new chief of staff, who has just returned from France. Conditions abroad are great, he continued.

DUTIES OF DEALERS

RETAILERS WILL BE TOLD OF FOOD ADMINISTRATION RULES.

ASK FULL CO-OPERATION

Business Men Urged to Volunteer to Put Co-operative Delivery System Into Effect

Meetings of all dealers in food commodities in Nodaway county are to be called by County Food Administrator F. P. Robinson for the purpose of discussing the rules and regulations of the United States food administration applying to retail merchants. Similar meetings will be held in every county in the state at the request of F. B. Mumford, federal food administrator for Missouri.

"County food administrators can be of great service by instructing dealers regarding their duties and responsibilities, under the food control law and proclamations of the president," Mr. Mumford points out in a notice to county food administrators. "Full co-operations is very desirable. So we have suggested that meetings be called for the purpose of discussing the rules and regulations.

"Committees of dealers we hope to have appointed to co-operate with the county food administrators and aid them in enforcing the regulations. We desire to have emphasized that the regulations are promulgated by the president of the United States; they are federal and not state regulations. And the county food administrator has no authority to modify them.

"We hope to obtain also voluntary agreements of the business men regarding co-operative deliveries, the cash and carry plan of merchandising, handling of bread baked in local bakeries, observance of meatless and wheatless days and all other projects and general observances.

"Conferences with the bakers, with the millers and with the hotel and restaurant keepers will be valuable also. These conferences and committees will be of great value in obtaining observance of the rules and regulations.

MEATLESS MEAL SUSPENDED

Only Tuesday Will Be Without Beef or Pork, Says New Food Administration Rule

Washington, March 4.—Temporary suspension of the meatless meal and of the special restrictions against the use of pork on Saturday is announced by the Food Administration as a readjustment of its food conservation program. Increased meat production and the necessity for still greater saving in wheat it was declared, make the change advisable.

The suspension is made effective for an indefinite period, and it probably will last for three months or longer. Since all restrictions on consumption of mutton and lamb had been lifted previously, the Food Administration now asks the public for the time being to deny itself in meats only of beef and pork on one day a week—Tuesday. Increased meat consumption, Food Administration officials believe, will of itself curtail the use of wheat, and for the present there is no intention to add to the restrictions already in force against the use of flour.

THIRD LOAN DRIVE

TO BE LAUNCHED ON ANNIVERSARY OF OUR ENTRY IN WAR

NODAWAY WILL BE READY

Campaign Committee Under Direction of W. C. Pierce Getting Plans in Shape for a Successful Drive

The Nodaway county Liberty Loan committee, of which W. C. Pierce is chairman, is getting ready for the third big drive which begins next month, Secretary McAdoo having announced that it would start on April 6, the first anniversary of America's entry into the war.

The amounts, terms and conditions of the loan have not been decided, Secretary McAdoo said, because these features are dependent upon further legislation. In making the announcement Secretary McAdoo said:

"I expect to ask the congress at an early date to grant the necessary additional authority. Of course, the opening date of the campaign is somewhat dependent upon the new legislation, but it is hoped and believed that the matter can be considered and determined in ample time to begin the campaign on the date suggested.

"April 6 will be forever a consecrated day in American history and it seems peculiarly appropriate that the opening of the second year of our participation in this war for the honor and rights of America and the freedom of the world should be celebrated with a nation-wide drive for another Liberty Loan," he continued.

"This campaign should begin with every city, town and hamlet in the great demonstrations of patriotism in the country that will express the spirit of the aroused America. On this date every American should pledge anew to his government the full measure of his resources and resolve to make every sacrifice in the same fervent spirit that impels our gallant sons in the trenches of France and on the waters of the Atlantic to shed their blood in America's sacred cause.

"The campaign in all probability will last three or four weeks and announcing of the opening date is made at this time in accordance with my promise to make public all matters connected with the loan as soon as determined and in order that ample time may be given every community to prepare for the event."

CANDIDATE FOR MARSHAL

Mike Liston Announces His Candidacy Today for That Place

Mike Liston announced today his candidacy for city marshal at the coming election. E. E. Tilton, who is night policeman, announced as a candidate for that position last week.

URGENT DEFICIENCY BILL IN

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, March 4.—The urgent efficiency bill, carrying appropriations and contract authorizations totaling \$1,180,000,000, was favorably reported. The bill contains an increase of 73 millions over the appropriation voted by the house.

THREAT TO SEIZE RUMANIA'S OIL

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Amsterdam, March 4.—Germany's threat to seize Rumania's oil fields and lease the production of the wells to a syndicate of German bankers has caused consternation in neutral countries.

Discharged From Army.

Claude Tabler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabler of Maryville, who enlisted in the United States Army about seven months ago, has been discharged from service on account of ill health, and returned to his home Sunday morning. While in the army young Tabler was stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mütz and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Fisher visited Saturday and Sunday in Camp Funston with Sergeant John Mütz and Omer Fisher.

CRISIS IN SIBERIA REACHED

Bolshevik Acceptance of German Peace Terms Makes Action Imperative—Jap Agreement Near, Belief

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, March 4.—The center of interest today in the world war was in the far east. The announcement from Petrograd and Berlin that the Bolsheviks had accepted Germany's peace terms has brought the Siberian situation to a crisis. An agreement on a Japanese course of action now is believed to have been reached. As it involved a military problem, officials said today that announcement in advance is unlikely.

MANDAMUS IS THREATENED

Proceedings to Compel State Equalization Board to Endorse Work of Tax Commission May be Instituted

Jefferson City, March 4.—Threats of possible mandamus proceedings before the supreme court if the state board of equalization does not endorse the work of the state tax commission continued here today. The policy of a majority of the members of the board, it is said, will be to keep valuations down to a point where no revenue will be collected under existing levies than will be required to meet the current expenses of the state and the various counties and cities. If this policy is carried out there will be no occasion for the governor to convene the legislature for the purpose of reducing tax levies.

Left for Home in Canada.

Nellie and Julia Drydale, who have been visiting their aunt, Miss Anna Kimple, 320 East Edwards street, and other relatives at Barnard, Mo., left this morning for their home in Alberta, Canada. The young ladies were accompanied to Conception by Miss Kimple, who will visit friends.

At the Empire Tonight.

Hashimura Togo, in reality young Baron Katzu, the hero of Wallace Irwin's Japanese schoolboy tales, familiar to magazine and newspaper readers of America, makes his screen bow tonight at the Empire theatre.

Visited in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tobin and daughters, Helen and Mary, and sons, Phil and Francis, returned last night from St. Joseph, where they visited with Thomas Tobin, of Camp Funston, who was spending the day there.

TEXAS VOTED DRY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Austin, Mar. 4.—Texas ratified the federal prohibition amendment today.

A LINER SUBMARINED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. An Atlantic Port, March 4.—The French Canadian line steamer Arrino, was submarined on its way to this port, the crew being saved, it was announced today.

FIGHTING IN FRANCE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Paris, March 4.—Sharp fighting broke out at Bures last night in which the Germans were thrown back with severe losses, it was announced this afternoon.

Nodaway Horse Won.

"Rafferty," one of E. A. Jones' of Parnell noted running horses, won the big handicap race at Havana, Cuba, last Thursday. "Rafferty" was trained by K. Spence, who is racing him in the interest of Mr. Jones. He is one of the many high class colts sired by that great race horse, "Harrigan," which is owned by Mr. Jones.

Mrs. Margaret Grimes is in Arkoee today on business.

WEST FRONT ACTIVE

BATTLE MOMENTUM INCREASES SAYS SECRETARY BAKER

BIG FORCES ARE MASSING

American Forces Have Taken Over a Sector Near Toul and Detached Units Are in Action at Other Points

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, March 4.—The momentum of battle is increasing in the western theatre of war, Secretary Baker declared in his weekly review of the war, made public today. He warns that the quiet conditions of the past three months have come to an end. Here is some of his salient utterances: "During the past three months both belligerents have been marshaling their forces. The Allied war council is not in continuous session, assuring complete unity and flexibility of control. The British have extended their front and our own forces have taken over a sector northwest of Toul. In addition a number of detached units are in action in Champagne. Important troop movements took place behind the German lines opposite our front and despite the low visibility of hostile aircraft, continued activities were frequent, with many incursions over our lines.

\$175,000 FIRE AT MOBERLY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Moberly, March 4.—Fire destroyed half a business block this morning. The Elks Home, the Daily Index, a furniture store and other business houses were burned with a total loss estimated at \$175,000.

CUTS TRAIN SERVICE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, March 4.—Director McAdoo approved the plan to release passenger service between Chicago and St. Louis from fifteen to nine trains daily. The President this afternoon issued a proclamation requiring any aircraft flying over or near any government property to be licensed. Others are to be shot down regardless of loss of life.

MORE TURK ATROCITIES

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Amsterdam, March 4.—Fresh Armenian massacres are being conducted by the Turks with the consent of Germany and already thousands have been victims, according to new details received here today. It was said that the male population of Sam-suen, an Armenian port on the Baltic, had been put to death by the Turks when they occupied the city after the retirement of the Russians.

AUSTRALIANS IN BIG RAID.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. London, March 4.—The Australians carried out a powerful raid against the Germans in the Warrent sector west of Flanders, last night and killed fifty of the garrison, capturing eleven men, the war office announced today. Three other successful raids were made by the British at Messines, Hollabeke and Paschendael.

BOMBARD GERMAN AIRDOOME.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. London, Mar. 4.—The German military airdrome at Ostend was successfully bombed by British airplanes, the British admiralty announced today.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight and Tuesday with probably rain. Colder Tuesday.

First Christian Church
TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 7:30 p. m.
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Admission ——— 10 and 15 cents

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FOR CITY MARSHAL.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal of Maryville, subject to the action of the voters at the April city election.

E. E. TILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.

Mike Liston hereby announces that he will be a candidate for the nomination of marshal of Maryville, Mo., subject to the decision of the voters at the April city election.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanano 42. Farmers 114.

Calendar.

MONDAY—Mrs. Ed G. Orear will entertain the members of the Monday Afternoon Bridge Club this afternoon.

TUESDAY—Mrs. Geo. B. Baker will entertain the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the South Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ed Dale, 609 North Mulberry street.

Mrs. Emory Airy will entertain the members of the Westminster Guild Tuesday evening.

WEDNESDAY—The Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church will hold a special meeting Wednesday evening at the church.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a self-sacrificing prayer meeting for Home Missions from 2 till 5 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Wiley.

THURSDAY—The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Elizabeth Sawyers.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Compton.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon. Division A will hold a market at the church.

FRIDAY—The P. E. O. will meet Friday evening at the home of Misses Hettie and May Anthony.

Baptist Kensington.

Mrs. T. J. Puckett, 521 South Market street, entertained with a "Baptist Kensington" Friday afternoon at her home. The following guests were present: Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mrs. T. H. Wiley, and little daughter, Jaunita, Mrs. Tom Gile, Mrs. Ed Brewer, Mrs. K. R. Malotte, Mrs. C. C. Graves, Mrs. H. L.

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, troubled with undigested foods, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief, so you can eat what you like. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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Satisfaction.

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MARYVILLE, MO.

Raines, Mrs. Robert Conklin, Mrs. S. Kissinger, Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson, the hostess and two daughters, Florence and Beatrice. Mrs. H. L. Raines favored the guests with a number of vocal selections. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and a silver offering was taken.

Miss Tanner Entertains.

Miss Lizzie Tanner, who teaches near Barnard had as her week-end guests, Miss Bessie Wagner of Maryville, and Jesse Gage of Franklin, Neb.

Sunday Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Eltha Shell of near Wilcox had as their dinner guests yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoite and daughter, Leora, Frank Pice, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Duncan, and Miss Jennie Duncan.

Visited in Conception.

Mr. and Mrs. August Stapler and daughter, Julia Helen, Misses Louise and Agatha Kroetch, Mrs. John Kirk and daughter, Agatha, of Maryville and George Kroetch of Phillips, S. D., were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Fred Kroetch of Conception.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrison of East Second street entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser and daughters, Cecil and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wiles and son, Herschel, Amos Sprecher and two daughters, Eva and Faye.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. E. W. Bishop and Mrs. E. F. Bishop celebrated their birthday anniversary yesterday with a dinner party guests included: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bishop at the Oakland Farm. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bishop and daughter, Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Cory Pettijohn and daughter, Lurline of Grant City, and Curtis, Marvin and Frank Bishop.

Hopkins Couple Surprised.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hurst southwest of Hopkins last Friday night at their home, prior to their removal to their new home six miles east of Hopkins. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Phas Butts, Mr. and Mrs. Leman Morehouse, Mr. and Mrs. George Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Young, Mr. and Mrs. Ula Morehouse, Misses Kenzie Butts, Nettie Howard, Margaret Morehouse, Messrs. Andy Morehouse, Francis Young, John Young, Roy and Will Hurst.

LOST—Pair high top boots and overcoats. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 4-6

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, March 4.—CORN—May \$1.27.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, March 4.—CATTLE—Receipts 16,000; steers, \$10@13.50; cows, \$6@9.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; top, \$16.65; bulk at \$16.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs 20c
Lucks 17c
Geese 17c
Old Roosters 12c
Hides, per lb. 10
Eggs, per doz 25c
Butter Fat, per lb. 48c

Frank Childress went to St. Joseph on business this morning.

John O'Riley, who has been ill at the St. Francis hospital, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mann of Pickering announce the birth of a son this morning.

Robert Ballenger of Kansas City was a guest Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballenger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn in Bolckow.

Mrs. G. R. Cornelius returned this morning from Camp Funston where she has been visiting her husband.

Andy Cummins spent Sunday in Parnell at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall. Mrs. Cummins and baby daughter, who have been visiting at the Hall home, returned to Maryville with Mr. Cummins.

Mrs. C. P. Ingerson left this morning for St. Joseph to visit her father, H. J. Parrish, and her sister, Miss Maybird Parrish, who is attending Platt's Business College.

Hand Caught In Saw.

George Auten of Parnell had his left hand badly crushed and part of one finger torn away last Saturday when his hand was caught in a wood saw at the A. A. Thummell farm.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

A RECORD IN REALTY

FARM SALES LAST WEEK PASS
ONE-HAF MILLION MARK

NEVER SUCH A DEMAND

Buyers Are Going to Demand That
Good Roads Be Built — Increased
Acreage in All Grains This Year

At the beginning of the war we were astonished by the slogan, "Business as Usual." With the progress of the great struggle the slogan has been made over—at least in Nodaway county—to "More Business Than Usual." The real estate transfers for the week ending March 2, as reported by the recorder, reach to the enormous total of over half a million dollars—\$545,000, to be exact. The great bulk of the sales and transfers is farm land.

Realty agents say there has never been a time where there was such a demand for farm land and prices are advancing for improved acres. This year will also see the greatest acreage in corn, wheat, hay and small grains that it has ever known.

Among other questions asked by buyers who are looking for farm lands is, "Is it close to a good road?" and, "Is there any prospect of hard surfaced roads being built?" Farmers are coming to realize the value of 365 day roads in the cultivation, growth and marketing of crops and are willing to pay more for a farm that lies on or near a good road.

The growing use of the automobile and auto truck for farm purposes is also largely responsible for the demand for country property. Automobiles permit the owner and his family to live in town and enjoy the privileges of city life, while he can drive back and forth daily, directing the work and management as easily as if he lived on it.

The county recorder reports the following real estate transfers for last week:

James B. Robinson to John F. Anderson et al. E 1/2 NE 24, 34, 37, \$5,000.
Carl Kibbey to Orie E. Griffey, NE NW 28, 65, 36, \$2,000.
Orie E. Griffey to Thomas D. Calfee, NE NW 28, 65, 36, \$3,150.
Loren V. Chambers to Dale L. Sowers, SE 31, 66, 35, \$4,825.
Chas. A. Doren to August Stiller, N. 1/2, 36, 37, 64, 36, \$17,825.
Samuel Robinson to Thomas E. Hyatt, NW 36, 66, 34, \$4,000.
Calle R. Harmon to James L. Carter and wife, W 1/2, 36, 37, 64, 36, \$10,000.
Geo. E. Zwilling to Loren V. Chambers, NE 35, E 1/2 SW SE 28, part NE NW 35, 66, 36, \$20,800.
James W. Neal to T. D. Hornbuckle, SW NW 25, 66, 36, \$4,800.

Elmer A. Baker et al. to Pearl L. Penne, E 1/2, NE and SW, NE 24, 65, 36, \$12,000.
Orie E. Griffey to John A. Wagner, NW NW 28, 65, 36, \$2,000.
Claude N. Comstock to Chester E. Wilson part SE, SE 11, 62, 34, \$400.
D. G. Miller to Michael McQuade, N 1/2, NE 28, 62, 36, \$7,000.

Leonora A. Carlman to Chas. D. Hollows, S 1/2, NE and N 1/2, SE 36, 64, 38, \$32,000.
George McKnight to John Furber, NE 12, 65, 37, \$1,600.

Jas. A. Carter to Rufus D. Highbanks, part E 1/2, NW 9, 62, 36, \$8,235.

Alex Fraser to Archer D. Saunders, L. S. B 47, City Co's. add Maryville, \$1,400.
Eleanor Mann to William A. Shelman, S 1/2, SW, S E 1/2, SE SE 6, 65, 34, \$13,250.

F. M. Compton to Oscar H. Bancroft, W 1/2, NE and E 69 acres, E 1/2, NW 12, 65, 38, \$18,900.

Thomas M. Spear to C. H. Kinman, W 1/2, NW 21, 66, 37, \$12,000.

Austin B. Allen to John and Fred Shanks, part W 1/2, NW, and part E 1/2, NW 10, 64, \$15,000.

Mothers of Missouri, Prepare!

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, and when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances. Many women in Missouri would testify just as do the following:

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Red Cross News From Nodaway Auxiliaries

MRS. ARTHUR M. CROOKE
Phone, Hanamio 4360

(Note:—Please report or send all news of Red Cross Activities to the editor of this column.)

Calendar.

MONDAY—
Baptist Auxiliary.
Mission Circle.
TUESDAY—
Presbyterian Auxiliary.
W. R. C. Auxiliary.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
TUESDAY EVENING—
Alderman-Yelle Auxiliary.
WEDNESDAY—
Hospital Auxiliary.
Shakespeare Auxiliary.
THURSDAY—
Methodist Missionary Society.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
FRIDAY—
South Methodist Auxiliary.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
FRIDAY EVENING—
Evening Auxiliary.
SATURDAY—
P. E. O. Auxiliary.

The Nodaway Red Cross chapter shipped to division headquarters for the week ending March 2, 1918, surgical dressings, 100 pillows, 90 knitted articles, 8,851 garments and miscellaneous articles. This is one of the largest shipments that has been made from the chapter.

The Normal auxiliary turned in their first shipment last week as follows: 37 refugee garments, 80 oakum pads, 70 triangular bandages, 25 2x2 wipes, 25 4x4 wipes and four pairs of wristlets. The Normal has one of the best work rooms in the county and they are to be commended for the splendid work they are doing.

The Juniors have not been idle, as the following shipment turned in by the young folks will attest. The Maryville high school auxiliary has turned in three baby afghans, 5 pairs of wristlets. The Gaynor school auxiliary, 9 girls' petticoats and 40 gun wipes. The Garrett school auxiliary, 12 girls' petticoats, 4 infants' dresses, three swaddling cloths, 3 jackets, 2 shirts and 5 pairs of booties. Normal demonstration school auxiliary, 12 comfort pillows, 3 pairs bloomers and 5 girls' petticoats. Excelsior school auxiliary, 14 girls' petticoats and two outing coverlets.

The Country Club auxiliary, under the direction of Mrs. White, turned in last week 24 helmets, 24 operating masks, one dozen petticoats and one pair of booties.

The Harmon auxiliary held their meeting Tuesday with eighteen members present, making 25 8x4 compresses, an unusual day's work.

The Monroe workers of Skidmore, under the direction of Mrs. M. Moore, turned in to headquarters last week 40 absorbent pads, 725 4x4 gauze wipes, 100 8x4 compresses, 30 No. 5 paper back pads, 50 No. 2 oakum pads, three helmets and two pairs socks.

The Graham branch, under the direction of Mrs. M. Moore, sent in to headquarters last week 250 compresses and 100 gauze wipes.

The Loyal auxiliary shipment consisted of 20 oakum pads, 100 2x2 wipes, 50 4x4 wipes, 50 8x4 compresses, 10 slings, one pair wristlets.

The Parnell auxiliary turned in last week the following: 1,160 surgical dressings.

The Mutual auxiliary at Burlington Junction are doing fine work, having turned in last week 30 oakum pads, 175 gauze wipes, 450 compresses, four hospital quilts 72x90, one double bed-size quilt 81x90, 32 hospital pillows, 32 white pillow cases, 10 comfort pillows, 10 colored slips for pillows, 55 infants' pillows, one ladies' coat, 2 wool petticoats, 2 suits of underwear, 21 children's hoods, 3 ladies' sleeveless aprons, one ladies' gown, two ladies' dresses, one middie, one knitted wash cloth, four baby layettes, 6 hoods, 6 cotton skirts, one coat, three wool skirts, 4 crocheted infants' socks, 12 dresses, 4 pair wool booties, 5 pairs wool hose, 4 romper suits, one kimono, 5 wool shirts, 8 pairs cotton hose, 5 bands, 14 story magazine books for convalescent soldiers, 24 knitted sweaters, 8 pairs socks, one pair of wristlets, one scarf, 6,850 gun wipes, 78 gun cleaning rags and 12 handkerchiefs, the gun wipes, rags and handkerchiefs being made by the Boy Scouts.

The following letter to the Kansas City Star will be read with interest by many Red Cross workers. It is as follows:

Holden, Mo.

To the Star: I am a Red Cross worker. The supervisors are trying earnestly to conform to all the Red Cross rules. One forbids conversation. Some says it does no harm to talk because we live in a small town and have few diversions. Workers should be silent and think of the sacred cause we are serving. I believe

we work better if we put our whole soul and thoughts on our work instead of gossiping. How do we know the bandages and dressings we are making may not be used on our own loved boys? Can we be thoughtful in the face of that awful thought? Away with the frivolity, laughs and jokes in the Red Cross rooms. I think every woman should turn away from cards, clubs, dinners and even church socials should be excluded until this horrible war is won. If our men and boys can go to the front sacrificing their splendid chances and pleasures, cannot we control that unruly member, our tongue? We can win if we will do our part, as we should if we were on the battle front.

WILLING WORKER.

The Church and Club auxiliary of Pickering, with Mrs. Charles Carmichael as instructor, turned in to headquarters this week 280 compresses, 40 oakum pads, 38 pillows, 12 napkins and one sweater. This auxiliary is proud of the record made in the sale of a turkey at auction last week, the fowl bringing \$197 at one sale and \$225 at another on Saturday. The ladies have pledged each a dozen eggs per week to be sold, the proceeds to go to the auxiliary. Last week the eggs brought \$4.40.

Dr. F. R. Anthony, Paul Sisson and Roy Curfman of the board of directors have been visiting the branches the past week and will make the rounds of all before the end of the week.

There will be an auction at Clearmont for the benefit of the Red Cross. Those having articles to donate for the sale are asked to report to John Clary, L. C. Livengood, H. E. Bancroft or J. N. Billingsley. Anything at all will be acceptable.

Every American soldier who enters the trenches carries an American Red Cross comfort kit packed by an American woman. Maj. Jas. H. Perkins, commissioner to Europe, announced in a recent cablegram to Red Cross headquarters here. The kits, which contain towel, shirt, writing paper, pencil, soap, handkerchief, socks, mirror and tobacco, have become a great convenience to the troops, says Maj. Perkins, who desires more of them, particularly one containing socks and tobacco.

The Rockford Red Cross auxiliary at their last four meetings have made the following articles: 60 absorbent pads, 10 paper back pads, 40 oakum pads, 450 2x2 wipes, 150 4x4 wipes, 225 8x4 compresses, 70 triangular bandages, 50 four tail bandages, and 250 shot bags. This auxiliary is doing splendid work. They meet once a week with Miss Ruth Montgomery as instructor.

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One of the classes in agriculture at the Normal School, under the direction of Prof. Belting, will test a limited amount of corn free of charge. The testing will afford an opportunity to serve the best interests of the community as well as give good practical work in agricultural education.

W. W. Blagg has been the first person to avail himself of this offer.

Bradley Goes to Pen.

Sheriff John M. Dowden went to Jefferson City this afternoon taking with him Glen Bradley, the Hopkins auctioneer, convicted in the circuit court of criminal assault. Bradley goes to serve a three year sentence.

To Rochester, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kemp left Saturday for Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Kemp will take treatment at Mayo Brothers' hospital.

Master Donald Goforth visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goforth, at Bolckow from Friday until Monday.

Miss Bertha Fanning spent Sunday with home folks in Barnard.

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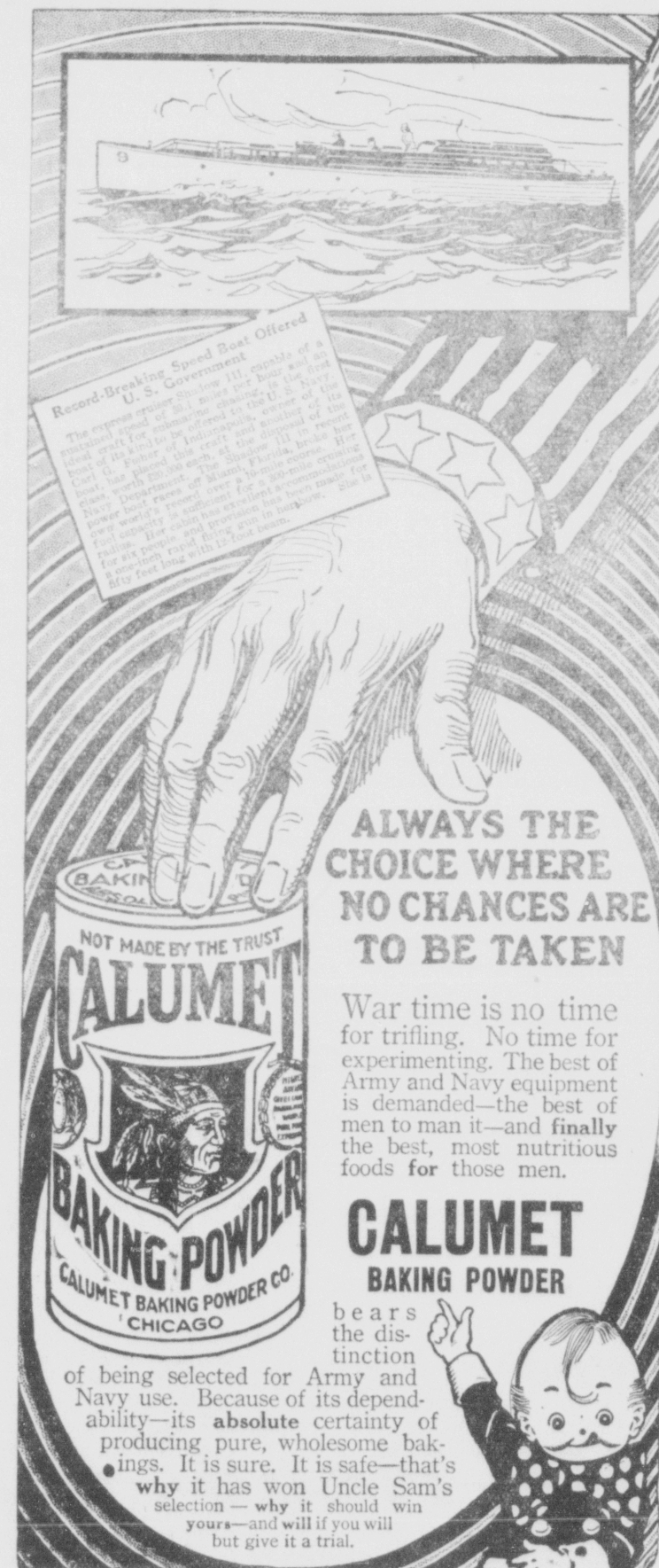
Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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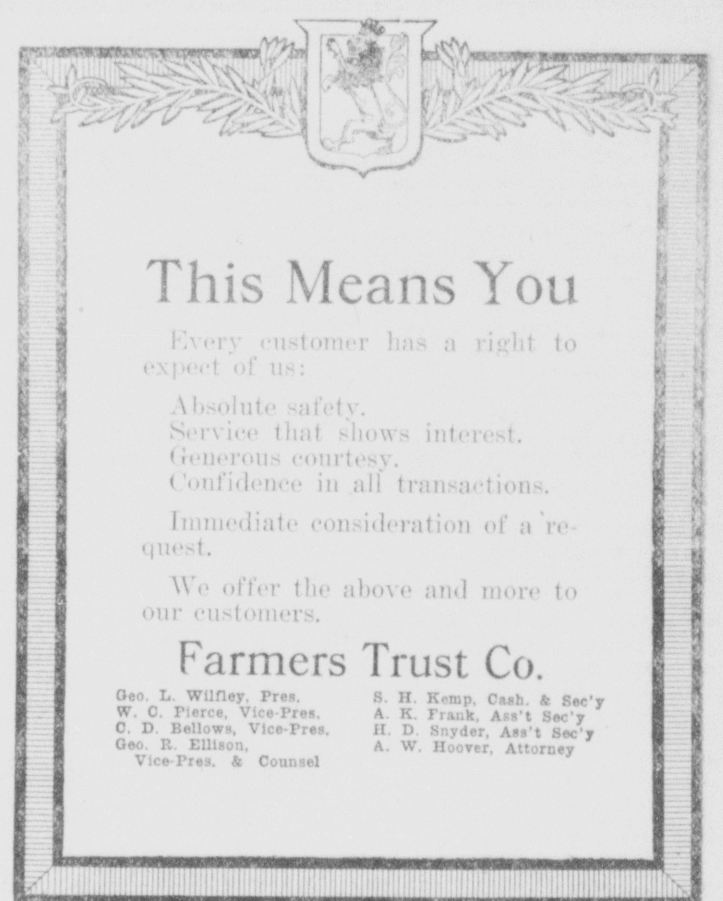
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Some of Our Writers

John F. Case, Editor—Member of the emergency staff of Institute lecturers for the Missouri State Board of Agriculture; has also been asked to aid in organizing farm clubs through lecture work, by the Missouri College of Agriculture. Annually spends the crop season on his splendid "Friendly Home Farm," in Andrew County. Was secretary of a farm club for seven years. Knows farming "from the ground up," and can write instructively and constructively of what he knows.

A. A. Jeffrey—Lives on an 80-acre fruit farm in Holt County, which he took in badly run down condition and has made to pay big dividends. One of the most interesting and accurate writers on farm topics in America.

Mrs. A. J. Wilder—For seven years contributor to The Missouri Ruralist, is one of the best known woman workers in farm club work in Missouri. Her stories are bought by the best magazines. She has a message of interest to the women of Missouri.

H. C. Windsor—One of the most intensely practical and successful farmers in Missouri. He has been president of the Missouri Corn Growers' Association for four years. Is president of the Missouri Association of Farm Bureaus and one of the recognized top-notch experts on corn growing. A recent article in The Country Gentleman characterized Mr. Windsor as "the best farmer in Missouri." And he writes as well as he farms.

J. C. Driver—Special farm dairy contributor; manager of Lewismonte farms comprising more than 500 fertile acres worth several hundred thousand dollars. Graduate of Missouri College of Agriculture, where he specialized in dairying. Recognized as one of the foremost authorities on dairying and cattle breeding in Missouri. For two years secretary of the Missouri Holstein Breeders' Association.

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FOR SALE—Some household furniture, in good condition. No. 1 good cow, 2 tons baled straw. C. P. Schmidt, 923 South Main, Far. phone 125. 26-8*

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland-China male pigs, September farrow, \$25 each if taken by March 20. J. R. Lawson, Ravenwood, Mo. Mutual phone. 1-12*

FOR SALE—2 dozen White Wyandotte hens and 1 pig. A. C. Nicholas, Han. 579. Mutual 108. 1-4

PURE BRED SEED CORN—Improved Reid's Yellow Dent, field selected before frost and rack dried. Guaranteed germination test 96%. Sold in ear. G. R. Lager, Clyde, Mo. 2-8*

FOR SALE—Four good light second hand wagons. A bargain. Come early and get your choice. Forsyth Packing Co., East Seventh. 1-4

FOR SALE—My 80 acre farm, 4 miles southwest of Ravenwood. Good 3 room house, barn, hen house and other outbuildings. Some fruit trees, grape vines, can all be cultivated. Write the owner, Mrs. Viola M. Douglas, 5714 Main street, Kansas City, Mo. 2-5*

FOR SALE—Modern house, 6 rooms and bath, close in. Must sell at once, bargain. See C. W. Bennett, Hanamo 6595. 28tf

FOR SALE—150 bu. good yellow corn. Fred Hainline, Wilcox, Mo. 4-6*

FOR SALE—We have decided to sell our cook stove, which is in good condition. C. P. Schmidt, 923 S. Main. Farmers 125. 4-5*

FOR SALE—About 250 bu. of Yellow Dent seed corn; guaranteed. Five dollars per bushel, while it lasts. A. C. Kiser, Pickering, Mo. 4-6*

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MISCELLANEOUS

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IF YOU NEED seed corn, see M. C. Thompson, 307 N. Market St., east side of square. Hanamo 108, Farmers 41-15. 6tf

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

STRAYED—Thursday, black hog, weight about 200 pounds. Reward. W. D. McDonald, Farmers 27-21. 2-5*

LOST—Friday evening, Feb. 22, leather halter about 1 1/2 miles south of Maryville. Please return to this office. 1-4*

LOST—Car tag No. 70109. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 2-5*

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. H. P. Swinehart, 524 W. First St., Hanamo 3062. 2-5

WANTED—Married man wants job on farm. Fred Auffart, Route 5, Call Bedison central. 2-5*

WANTED—Middle aged lady for housekeeping for family of two in country, modern. References required. Write box 33, Route 4, Parnell, Mo. 2-5

WANTED—To rent, about 6 room house close in, water and lights. Inquire at Democrat-Forum.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4 room house 511 S. Walnut. See Mrs. Walter Ferree or phone 3135. 27-5*

FOR RENT—Close in, 5 room house, also 7 room house, water, lights. Burt M. Rowley, Real Estate Bank. 2-5*

FOR RENT—7 room house, modern except furnace, barn, good garden spot, cave. Hanamo phone 238. 2-5

FOR RENT—Modern house on S. Main, possession March 1. Call Democrat-Forum office or H. S. Joy, Farmers 72-15. 27tf

FOR RENT—6-room house. See Louis Gram, phone 5542. 1-4

Mrs. Lloyd Miles will leave today for Trinidad, Colo., where she will join Mr. Miles, who has been there for several months.

FOR RENT—Nice rooms and sleeping porch in modern home. 304 West 7th. Hanamo 203. 4-6

FOR RENT—7 room house on East First St. Call Far. 17. 4-6*

BANK ROBBERS BLOW SAFE.

Serena, Ill., March 4.—Five robbers blew the safe of the state bank here this morning and escaped with \$2,000.

Frank Childress, who has been employed at the Burlington freight house for the past four months, has accepted a position with the same company in the freight house at St. Joseph. He left to take up his new work Monday morning.

Omar Wallace, operator and ticket seller at the Burlington station, has been sent to Hopkins to work as agent in the absence of the regular agent, Mr. Olvey, who is on sick leave. W. A. Barkus of Malvern is filling Mr. Wallace's place as operator here.

Ava Pistole and wife, south of Hopkins, announce the birth of a son.

Oratorio Practise Tonight.

With but three weeks intervening before the public presentation of "The Creation," it is urged that all members of the Oratorio Society be present for rehearsal tonight at 7:30 at the Conservatory recital room. Good progress is being made in the work and a large chorus is desired for the event on Mar. 26.

Prof. R. L. Denning of St. Joseph visited over Sunday in Maryville with David L. Denning and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lloyd.

Miss Dorris Marie Goforth has gone to Breckenridge, Mo., to spend a week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Conner.

Newt Butts and wife of Hopkins will soon leave for Colorado for the benefit of Mr. Butts' health, having rented their farm west of Hopkins to Rant Holmes.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

8 Head of Horses—Bay mare 7 years old, weight 1500; gray horse, sound, 4 years old, weight 1500; bay mare, 4 years old, weight 1450; bay mare, 4 years old, bred to Carr's horse; smooth mouth horse; smooth mouth mare; 3-year-old horse; 2-year-old horse.

20 or 25 Head Cattle—2 cows giving milk, 1 with calf by side, the balance consisting of stock cattle.

28 Head of Hogs—10 head of thor oughbred Poland-Chinas, good ones; 15 head of fat hogs, if not sold before date of sale.

Grain—400 or 500 bu. good corn, 5 0 or 600 bu. oats; 250 bu. of these oats are extra good seed; 6 or 7 tons of baled hay; 25 or 30 bu. of good Yellow Dent seed corn.

Farm Implements—4 wagons, 2 low wheel, 2 high wheel; Deering corn binder, Dain mower, Deering hay rake, bull rake, Oliver 12-inch gang plow, 16-inch sulky plow, 2 disc harrows, 1 good as new; 2 riding cultivators, 2 walking cultivators, 2 corn planters, J. H. Deere riding lister, 2 walking listers, 2 go-devils, disc cultivator, 2 harrows, Oliver 14-inch brush plow, hay rack, 3 1/2 HP, Deering gasoline engine, 2 galvanized watering tanks, 16 foot watering trough, hog house, grindstone cream separator, 6 galvanized chicken coops, 3 sets of good work harness, set of new driving harness, 2 sets of single harness, 30 bu. Early Ohio potatoes, household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date.

LUNCH by ladies of Pleasant Grove Red Cross.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

J. T. Goff, Clerk.

Clyde and Chas. Hoshor

Public Sale

We will sell at public auction at the farm 3/4 mile south of Wilcox, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., on

Thursday, March 7

the following described property:

13 Horses and Mules—Consisting of 1 span of mules coming 3 years old, wt. 2100, broke to work; 1 dark iron gray horse mule coming 3 years old, wt. 1000; 1 bay mare coming 4 years old, in foal to Wm. Golding's horse, wt. 1200; 1 black mare coming 8 years old, wt. 1150; 1 iron gray mare coming 8 years old, in foal to Golding's horse, wt. 1400; 1 black gelding coming 6 years old, wt. 1400; 1 bay gelding coming 4 years old, wt. 1350; 1 black gelding coming 6 years old, wt. 1150; 1 bay mare coming 4 years old, wt. 1200; 2 iron gray fillies coming 2 and 3 years old; 1 sorrell gelding coming 3 years old, wt. 1200.

3 Head of Milch Cows—2 will be fresh in June.
50 Head of Stock Hogs—Average about 100 pounds.

Implements—Consisting of Winona wagon, nearly new; 16-inch sulky plow; walking breaking plow; 6-shovel Oliver riding cultivator; Badger riding cultivator; John Deere walking lister; McCormick mowing machine, and other articles too numerous to mention.

LUNCH will be served by Wilcox Red Cross Auxiliary.
Terms—Sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

J. E. Huff and Son

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Duroc Jersey Sale

To be held on farm 2 1-2 miles Northeast of Bolckow, Missouri, on

Friday, March 8th, 1918

Sale to commence at 1:00 o'clock

40—Head—40

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8 Tried Sows and 32 Spring Gilts, The most of these will farrow latter part of March.

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Wayne Judah

Route No. 4.

MARYVILLE, MO.

PHONE, Hanamo 151Y

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at the place, 4 miles east and 1 1/4 miles south of Maryville, 1 1/4 miles west and 2 1/4 miles north of Bedison, on

Saturday, March 9, 1918

at 10 a. m., the following described property:

4 Head of Work Horses—Black mare, smooth mouth, wt. 1000 lbs; bay horse, smooth mouth, wt. about 1100 lbs; brown mare, smooth mouth, wt. 1200; gray mare, smooth mouth, wt. 1100.

20 Head of Cattle—Ten milk cows; 9 head of Shorthorn cows, some extra good ones; 1 Jersey cow with calf by side, she is a fine cow; these cows will freshen soon, some by date of sale; most of these cows are young; 1 2-year-old steer; 7 head of coming yearling calves, 5 heifers, 2 steers.

35 Head of Hogs—10 brood sows, 2 of these are Poland-Chinas—these sows will bring pigs in the spring—8 sows of Duroc Jerseys; 1 Poland-China male hog; 24 head fall shoats.

Grain and Hay—300 bu. of good corn; 10 bu. Yellow Dent seed corn; 200 bu. good seed oats; 5 or 6 tons fine timothy hay—a few ricks of corn fodder.

Farm Implements—2 wagons, 1 high wheel, 1 low wheel with rack; storm buggy; carriage; McCormick corn binder; Milwaukee mower; 16-16 Janesville disc harrow, a good one; 2 New Century riding cultivators, 1 bought new last spring; new walking cultivator; John Deere riding cultivator; 2 corn planters; new Janesville corn planter with 80 rods of wire; John Deere corn planter; 2 stalk cutters; 2 listers, 1 riding, 1 walking; 2 harrows, 1 3-lever, 1 2-lever; 14-inch walking plow; Kingman 16-inch sulky plow; grindstone; DeLaval separator; iron kettle; 2 sets of work harness; 1 set carriage harness; saddle; woven wire stertcher; 3 stands of bees; 4 new bee hives; 8 chicken coops; 40 bu. extra good Early Ohio seed potatoes; big pile of pole wood.

Household Goods—Dresser; kitchen cabinet; 2 stoves; 1 cooking stove; 1 Never Fail heater; dining chairs and table; washing machine; bed springs and mattress; other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—Sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Any property that cannot be removed will be cared for until Monday. LUNCH will be served by the Merry Minglers for benefit of Red Cross.

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Wednesday, March 6th Is Trade Day at Our Place

On account of next week being National Implement Inspection and Repair Week, we have made arrangements to use our salesrooms for our friends to trade implements with each other.

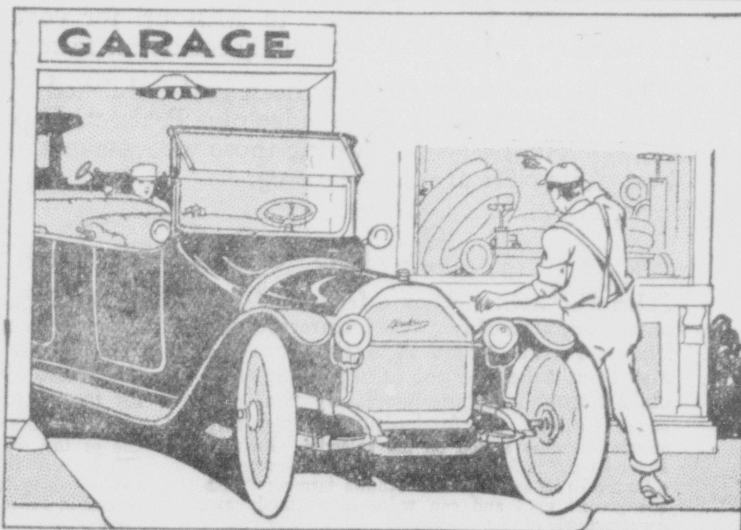
Any man anywhere may bring any piece of machinery for which he has no further use and there will be some one here to buy it or trade him a machine for it.

This is in line with the National Thrift Campaign to make every piece of farm machinery "do its bit" to the utmost, and to relieve the excessive demands on the manufacturers.

We have a car of Titian 10-20 Tractors on the road which we believe will be here by that time.

W. W. Jones & Co.,

P. S.—Don't forget, ONE DAY ONLY, Mar. 6.



This Is National Repair Week

This week has been designated by the Government as the week in which all machinery and automobiles shall be inspected—repaired.

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